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Mrs. N. A. Fort of Lynne is at Seabreeze, visiting her daughter, whose home is in that lovely city.

Mrs. Thomas B. Tower of Newberry was among the visitors to Ocala on Friday.

Mrs. Duncan Campbell has returned to her home at Micanola, after a visit of a couple of weeks in Ocala with her father and sisters.

Mr. Louis Horne has about parted with all his turpentine possessions, and will devote his time to the task of getting well.

Mrs. Charles Shaw and children have gone to Zuber to join Mr. Shaw, who is now running the commissary at the mill at that place.

Say, good people, when you get hungry, go to Hogan's place. He keeps good things to eat and drink. G. D. is the man.

Mrs. E. P. Moody of Ocala is visiting her sons, Messrs. S. W. and Dell Moody, 506 Nebraska avenue. Mrs. Moody has many friends in this city.

Mr. C. C. Carlton of New York, who is one of the best known commission men that visits this section, is in the city for a few days in the interest of his firm, and is a guest of the Ocala House.

LISTEN! When you are at home send us your orders. When in town make his place headquarters. Hogan's Place, the whiskey man.

The young men who were held for robbery had a preliminary hearing before Judge Bell at Dunnellon last week. The judge held that there was not sufficient evidence against them to justify his holding them, so they were released, and are now at liberty.

When you want a quick meal, drop in Hogan's Cafe, where you'll find everything in season on the bill of fare.

Mr. C. Larriat Gamsby, who has been at Talladega, Alabama, for the past several years, arrived in Ocala Thursday of last week, and has joined his wife and son, who are residing at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall on Fort King avenue, until their own pretty new home is completed.

A commercial traveler said to us yesterday that our immediate section is the very best in Florida, looking at it from a trade point of view. In the short cotton belt the depression is very great indeed.

Colonel S. H. Galtskill of McIntosh, who was a prominent visitor in our city Friday, says that one carload of cabbage shipped from that station sold for \$500.10. There are 200 crates to a car.

Dr. J. C. Boozer of the Commercial bank, Ocala, is still taking practical steps to improve the agriculture of Marion county. Not content with distributing superior corn seed and offering prizes for the best specimens of the product, he is now giving seed of the kudzu vine, held to be one of the greatest of forage plants, to all farmers who call for it.—Times-Union Short Talks.

Mrs. Mendenhall, who is making her home in Ocala this year with her daughter, Miss Ella Mendenhall, who teaches in the primary school, went down to Eustis Friday afternoon to visit one of her married daughters.

Mr. R. D. Stokes of Gaiter was a visitor Friday. He says that the water of the river is so cold that the fish refuse to bite, but that in a little while fishing will be fine. He says that in the olden time, when the pioneers bought lead and melted their own bullets, they killed more game with 10 cents worth of ammunition than they now do with \$50 worth.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Livingston of Lowell were in Ocala shopping Thursday. They were accompanied by their little daughter. Mr. Livingston says that the ground is so dry that he thinks that it will easily take care of all the rain that has fallen, and he apprehends no bad effects therefrom. He thinks that it will all turn out for the best, and he is sanguine of good crops.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Harter of Sparr have been in Ocala for several days, the guests of Mrs. B. N. Redding. These good people expect soon to return to their home in California. Mr. Harter is now in his 82nd year and is in fairly robust health. Mr. Harter was postmaster in Ocala in 1883 at the time of our disastrous fire, and occupied a very handsome and commodious building where the Yonge plumbing establishment is now located.

At the annual meeting of the Florida postmasters at Jacksonville last week, Mr. Daniel S. Gerow of Jacksonville was elected president of the association and Postmaster G. C. Crom of this city was elected treasurer. The association will hold its next annual meeting in Ocala next April. The members of the association were entertained with a boat ride to Green Cove Springs, where a banquet was served. The meeting proved a most harmonious and delightful one.

DONT DRINK! But if you do, see Hogan, and get the best that money can buy. If it's a good drink, we have it.

Mr. M. J. Roess is making big preparations for his planing mills and novelty works near the barrel factory. He already has two hundred thousand feet of undressed lumber on the grounds. He is erecting a number of buildings and it looks like a new town is being built in that locality. The work is under the direction of Mr. J. P. Harder, who will be manager for Mr. Roess when the buildings are complete and he begins operations, which will be in a very short time.

Mrs. S. L. Patterson and sweet little daughter, Annie Lester Patterson, returned home Thursday morning after an absence of several months spent on the gulf coast, and in the interior of the state with relatives and friends. Mrs. Patterson and the little girl have been very much missed this winter in Miami, and the Thirteenth Street neighborhood particularly, are glad to have them at home once more.—Miami Metropolis.

Mrs. Patterson and daughter spent a great deal of their time with Mrs. J. M. Barco, at Cotton Plant and with Mr. Barco at Largo. They also visited in Ocala for a short while.

MRS. MUNROE ENTERTAINS

From Friday's Daily:

One of the large affairs of the Easter season was Mrs. Theodore T. Munroe's attractive card party Thursday afternoon at the Woman's Club rooms, at which time she had as her guests thirty-seven of her married and unmarried friends.

The Woman's Club is charming arranged for entertaining and the parties given there are sure to prove enjoyable, and especially when they have so pleasant a hostess as Mrs. Munroe proved to be. She was handsomely gowned in black crepe de chene, and received her guests very informally, there being no formal receiving line. A soft, cool, green tone prevails in the club room and for Thursday, which was a very spring-like and pretty day, Mrs. Munroe had had the walls very prettily adorned with palm-trees, vines and branches of greens, with pretty white flowers, and on the desk and tables were vases of beautiful roses of all colors, and one large vase of handsome deep red lilies that were greatly admired. The room was particularly alluring and restful after the glare of the streets, and the charmingly arrayed ladies at the card tables were indeed a pretty sight and the games of whist were enjoyed more than usual, as many of the ladies had not played cards since the beginning of the Lenten season.

Miss Minnie Gamsby served delicious fruit punch, and assisting the hostess in other ways during the afternoon were Miss Abbie Munroe, Miss Stotesbury, Miss Sylvester and Mrs. Mote.

There were eight tables of whist and one table of dominoes. The lovely prize for cards, a cut glass tulip-shaped vase, was won by Mrs. Austin, and Mrs. Melver won the prize at dominoes, a lovely Venetian glass compute. The scores were marked by Mrs. Munroe and Mrs. Mote.

On all the tables were pretty dishes of Huyler's bon bons, and after the games were concluded cherry ice cream and cake was enjoyed by Mrs. Munroe's guests.

This party was quite a social treat, and adds yet another to the many charming affairs for which Ocala hostesses are noted.

Taking part in the games Thursday were the following ladies: Mrs. C. L. Gamsby, Mrs. E. H. Mote, Mrs. C. H. Lloyd, Mrs. M. Fishel, Mrs. C. L. Bittinger, Mrs. Frank Harris, Mrs. J. J. Gerig, Mrs. A. E. Gerig, Mrs. G. S. Scott, Mrs. E. T. Helvenston, Mrs. J. K. Austin, Mrs. W. S. Bullock, Mrs. M. C. Looney, Mrs. Lee Miller, Mrs. L. R. Chazal, Mrs. B. A. Weathers, Mrs. D. M. Smith, Mrs. G. K. Robinson, Mrs. H. L. Anderson, Mrs. G. R. McKean, Mrs. George Mackay, Mrs. W. V. Newsum, Mrs. C. C. Todd, Mrs. Charles Rheinauer, Mrs. T. H. Johnson, Mrs. Walter Hood, Mrs. D. E. Melver, Mrs. B. J. Potter, Miss Abbie Munroe, Miss Minnie Gamsby, Miss Byrd Wartmann, Miss Margaret Taylor, Miss Stotesbury, Miss Weathers, Miss Potter, Miss Robinson and Miss Sylvester.

BRIDE AND GROOM REACH OCALA

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Krider arrived in Ocala Friday afternoon from their wedding journey, and will make this city their home. They are stopping with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Simmons on Oklawaha avenue.

Mrs. Krider before her marriage was Miss Irene Cofer, a very charming young lady of Duncansville, Pa., and her marriage to Mr. Krider took place at her home in that city on the sixth of the present month.

Mr. Krider is an employee of the Ocala Iron Works, and the friends that he has already made here will be glad to welcome his wife to her new home.

ADAMS—FARRIS

A marriage license was issued in Jacksonville on Thursday to Mr. Geo. W. Adams and Miss Ruby Farris.

Miss Farris formerly lived in Ocala and is the second sister of Hon. Lon L. Farris of Jacksonville, now speaker of the house of representatives.

Miss Farris took a commercial course at the Massey Business College in Jacksonville, and since finishing her course has had a splendid stenographic position with a well known firm in that city. She has many friends and acquaintances here who will be greatly interested in the above announcement.

We are headquarters for all good things to eat and drink. Good service and prompt attention. Hogan, the whiskey man.

MRS. HOOD ENTERTAINS HER SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

Decidedly one of the most novel and loveliest parties ever given in Ocala was the Easter party that Mrs. E. Van Hood gave for her Sunday school class on Friday afternoon, at her attractive Fort King avenue home.

As the ladies entered the gate daintily little Misses Mary Edna Carroll and Mary Guerrant scattered rose leaves in their path, with the wish that their lives might always be a bed of roses.

On the veranda green punch was served from a lovely bowl by Mr. Hall of Scranton, Pa., who was assisted by Miss Alice Bullock.

After all the guests had assembled they were asked out on the lawn by the gracious hostess, and a very exciting "war of the roses" ensued. Sides were chosen by Miss Grace Hatchell and Miss Susie Fort, one side being given red roses and the other white ones. The object of the contest was to see which side could throw the greatest number of roses through a window left in an artistic construction of evergreens on the lawn. The red roses, led by Miss Hatchell, won.

After this contest, at tables scattered about the lawn, progressive anagrams were played. All of the anagrams related to the Easter season, and a lot of excitement and merriment was the result, and for a short while the guests were very hilarious and happy at this game.

The refreshments were served at the small tables, and very prettily followed the green and white color scheme. The ices were green and the cakes iced in white and green. While these dainty refreshments were being partaken of little Miss Mary Edna Carroll served each guest a fortune. In a pretty little Easter souvenir box with Easter rabbits and eggs was hidden an appropriate and happy fortune, which were all read aloud.

The guests then went into the music room where a musical treat awaited them. Mr. Hall and Miss Tolmie sang several solos, as well as a perfectly fascinating duet, and Miss Anna Savage also sang very sweetly.

Mrs. Hood is an ideal hostess, but greater than that, she is a loyal leader for this large class of ladies, who love her and appreciate very thoroughly all that she does in their interest.

Mrs. Hood's class includes thirty-six ladies, and the afternoon spent with their teacher was an exceedingly enjoyable one.

AN ENJOYABLE CHILDREN'S PARTY

Misses Irma and Hazel Feltham, the lovely little daughters of Mr. and Mrs. George Feltham, gave a very lovely children's party Friday afternoon at their home on Lime street. They were very daintily gowned and the little guest of honor, Miss Mary Birdsey, of Forsyth, Ga., looked like a little fairy in her pretty party frock.

Mrs. Feltham, Mrs. Birdsey, Mrs. Rentz and a number of the other grown-up friends of Mrs. Feltham, were at this party to look after the little folks, and never did a set of nappy children have a jollier afternoon. There were about fifty children present, and the games were entered into with great spirit and eagerness, and for over two hours merriment reigned supreme at the Feltham home.

The refreshments were a special feature of this affair, and the little friends of Misses Irma and Hazel Feltham were indeed fortunate to have been given this privilege of spending such a happy afternoon with them and little Miss Birdsey.

Brigadier General H. W. Long of the Second Florida Brigade, U. C. V., was in Ocala Friday, and held a conference with a number of the members of the Marion camp at the court house. The object of the conference was to make arrangements for the coming reunion of the brigade, which will meet in Ocala June 2-3. General Long hopes that the meeting will be the very best in the history of the organization. Orators will be selected to make the necessary orations. General Long will select a sponsor for the brigade, the Marion Camp will select one to represent the camp, and Dickinson Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy will select another to represent the chapter. All the past commanders will be urgently and cordially invited to attend the meeting, and altogether it is thought that the re-union will be a most pleasant one.

MISS MIXON'S RECEPTION

From Friday's Daily:

The cool, appealing fragrance of choice flowers, the tracery of fronds and greenery, and the sylvan suggestiveness of fresh vines, made the Phillips home on South Third street one of the most delightful of places on Thursday afternoon, and the pink shaded lights all over the house added just the right touch to the rooms.

The occasion was a large reception given by the attractive older daughter of the home, Miss Anne Mixon, as a compliment to her lovely guest, Miss Edith McGuire, of Smethport, Pa. They received in the parlor, and both were handsomely gowned. Miss Mixon wore a soft white silk tulle over pink, and Miss McGuire's gown was white lace over pink taffeta, and she carried a lovely arm bouquet of pink roses, white and pink being the color motif of this attractive party. There were pink and white roses in vases, in groups and clusters, in bouquets and companies, the effect being very bewitching in all the rooms, and especially in the dining room. The round table was covered with a handsome Cluney cloth, and as the table centerpiece there was a tall vase of exquisite long-stemmed pink roses, and around the outer edge of the table was a thick wreath of smilax. Extending from the center of the table to the two chandeliers were pink ribbons entwined with the lovely smilax.

Between the hours of three and six o'clock nearly an hundred and fifty guests were presented to the lovely honor guest.

The front veranda was enclosed with screens, and at the punch bowl Miss Pauline Sullivan and Miss Carrie Williams, gowned in pink and white, served this cooling liquid. The punch table was quite lovely, the bowl being almost hidden in a bed of the daintiest of white and pale pink sweet peas.

On the front veranda Mrs. S. T. Sistrunk, prettily gowned in pale blue, greeted everyone with a pleasant smile, and entertained each one for several minutes.

In the hall Mrs. C. J. Phillips, Mrs. E. L. Carney and Mrs. B. W. Mimms welcomed the guests in the very cordial manner that is so characteristic of these ladies.

Mrs. John Taylor introduced the guests to the hostess and the honor guest, and after chatting with them a few moments, Mrs. Clarence Camp invited them into the back parlor, where Miss Ida Fort of Adams, Tennessee, Miss Mamie Wilcox of Gainesville, Miss Winifred Rapalje of Plainfield, New Jersey, Mrs. Jack Rentz of Levon and Misses Ophelia Sawtell and Frances Anderson, all of whom wore beautiful gowns, were receiving.

Mrs. William Harvey Clark asked the guests into the lovely dining room.

Misses Alice Bullock, Annie Atkinson, Lillian Thagard, Betty Wray McIver and Grace Hatchell were the lovely group of young girls serving. They all wore pretty white dresses and pink sashes, their costumes fitting in very prettily with the pink and white cream and cake, dainty pink and white mints and the salted almonds, which they served, and with the pink and white tones of the decorations of this room.

At the door connecting the dining room and the hall was Mrs. John D. Robertson, who had a pleasant word for each of the ladies as they were leaving this charming party.

In the back parlor Miss Mary Phillips, the younger daughter of the home, played delightfully throughout the receiving hours. She is quite a talented young pianist, and her music added a great deal of pleasure to her sister's party.

As a hostess Miss Mixon proved herself an adept, and Miss McGuire, who was the inspiration of this social function, is an exceedingly pretty and entertaining guest.

This was the first of the large Easter parties, and many handsome spring gowns and lovely hats were worn by the visitors, as well as by the ladies who were present for the entire afternoon, and the groups of pretty women were most favorably commented upon.

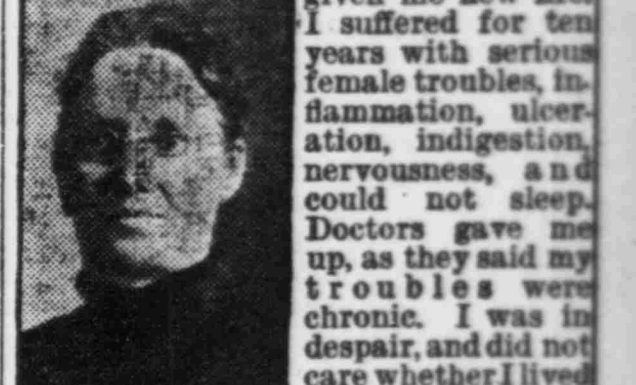
Many of the lovely roses used at Miss Mixon's reception were grown by her grandmother at Williston, and they were certainly delightful specimens.

In the evening Miss Mixon entertained quite a number of the young girls and the young men, and the evening was as charming a one as was the afternoon.

AFTER SUFFERING TEN YEARS

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Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, contains no narcotics or harmful drugs, and to-day holds the record for the largest number of actual cures of female diseases we know of, and thousands of voluntary testimonials are on file in the Pinkham laboratory at Lynn, Mass., from women who have been cured from almost every form of female complaints, inflammation, ulceration, displacements, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, indigestion and nervous prostration. Every suffering woman owes it to herself to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial.

If you would like special advice about your case write a confidential letter to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free, and always helpful.

MEETING OF THE WOMAN'S CLUB

The Ocala Woman's Club held an open meeting at the club rooms Friday afternoon and there were nearly fifty ladies present. This was the first time that the club members had enjoyed the privilege of bringing their friends who are not members of this club with them, and quite a number of outsiders were present, and thoroughly enjoyed the afternoon, which was a most informal and pleasant one. Among the out of town visitors present were Mrs. T. B. Stringfellow of Gainesville, Miss Tolmie of Tennessee and Mr. Hall of Scranton, Pa.

The subject for the afternoon was "Education," and a round table was held. Several interesting articles relating to this subject were read by several of the club members, which were instructive as well as enjoyable.

At this meeting the very beautiful musical program, which was arranged by Mrs. D. E. Melver, was a very great treat to the guests. Mrs. Melver played the accompaniments, and the first number was a lovely song by Mrs. T. H. Johnson, who never sang sweeter. She was followed by Mrs. Harry Lapham, whose song was a very lovely one.

The two songs by Mr. Hall of Scranton, Pa., were very splendidly rendered, and suited his voice to perfection. He quite captivated his hearers and he was obliged to respond to an encore.

Miss Tolmie's two songs were also very thoroughly enjoyed, as was also the exquisite song that was so faultlessly rendered by Mrs. Byrne.

Miss Mary Connor, whose violin music always delights, sustained her reputation at the Woman's Club by the two lovely numbers she played. Her sister, Mrs. B. F. Condon, was her accompanist.

After the program the most delicious punch was served by Mrs. E. H. Mote and Mrs. F. G. B. Weihe, who were the hostesses for the afternoon. Miss Annie Davis assisted them in passing the punch.

The first of the open afternoons at the Woman's Club was a very pronounced success.

Several nights ago Misses Rebecca and Mamie Counts were the hostesses at a very delightful party, at which they beautifully entertained a large number of their young friends. The guest of honor was their brother, Mr. Herbert Counts, who is at home from the University of Nashville for the summer vacation. The evening was very greatly enjoyed by the young people.

Mr. John C. Kendig, who owns a very pretty orange grove near Citra, and resides in the city of "brotherly love," will hereafter keep posted as to the doings in Marion county through the columns of the Ocala Banner.